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**EX PARTE**

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Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
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**Re: Application by Qwest Communications International Inc. for  
Authority to Provide In-Region InterLATA Services in New  
Mexico, Oregon and South Dakota; WC Docket No. 03-11**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter responds to a question from Wireline Competition Bureau staff regarding the Summary of Notes included in Qwest's March 6, 2003 ex parte. The Summary of Notes contained an entry stating that the OP-5 results for November and December had been restated for zone-type reported products. Staff asked whether UNE-P-Centrex is a zone-type product for purposes of reporting performance under the OP-5 performance indicator definition. Qwest provides the following information in response.

UNE-P-Centrex is not a zone-type product. The Summary of Notes indicated that the re-run was done for zone-type products because that was the category for which the issue was initially identified and corrected. However, as stated in the original response to this question, Qwest's effort to resolve the issue also discovered that a supporting service order file had not been updated when the new OP-5 programming was first applied. Therefore, Qwest updated that file, which does affect more products than just the zone-type products that originally triggered the corrective action. This resulted in a few additional products being affected to a minor degree, as shown in the table provided in the original answer.

To avoid confusion about this item in the future, Qwest will update this item in the next Notes Summary to state "All Applicable Products."

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